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RUN-TIME MONITORING IN COMPONENT-BASED SYSTEMS

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR RESPONSE/AMENDMENT

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| () | New fee as calculated below | () Supplemental Declaration |
| (X) | No additional fee | |
| () | Other: | (fee \$ |

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to Deposit Account 08-2025. At any time during the pendency of this 0 application, please charge any fees required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 08-2025 pursuant to 37 CFR 1.25. Additionally please charge any fees to Deposit Account 08-2025 under 37 CFR 1.16 through 1.21 inclusive, and any other sections in Title 37 of the Code of Federal Regulations that may regulate fees. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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Respectfully submitted,

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated January 13, 2005, kindly amend the application identified above as follows.